



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Invention: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY ELEMENT AND METHOD FOR
MANUFACTURING IT

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

Applicant hereby respectfully requests a three month extension of time up to and including August 18, 2003 to respond to the Final Office Action in the above-referenced matter. Attached is the requisite fee for the three month extension request.

Respectfully Submitted,

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